

OUTREACH NOTICE



*Idaho City Ranger District / Cascade Ranger District
Boise National Forest
(2 positions to be filled)
District Fire Management Officers
Duty Station- Idaho City, Idaho / Duty Station- Cascade, Idaho
Reply Due: MAY 1st, 2016
USA Jobs OPEN 16-FIRE-250873G-HJ*

The Idaho City Ranger District and Cascade Ranger District on the Boise National Forest are **outreaching and advertising concurrently** for District Fire Management Officers (DFMO). One opening will be filled at each Ranger District location.

About the Position

Job Title: Supervisory Forestry Technician, District Fire Management Officer (DFMO)

Series/Grade: GS-0301-9/11

Duty Station: Idaho City, ID and Cascade, ID

Response Instructions: Please respond by sending a resume' or biographical sketch, including an IQCS master record, and filling out the attached form at the end of this outreach.

Return outreach responses to appropriate District Ranger by duty station to:

Brant Petersen, Idaho City District Ranger, bpetersen02@fs.fed.us, 208-392-3701

Jake Strohmeyer, Cascade District Ranger, jstrohmeyer@fs.fed.us 208-382-7402.

Duties

Potential candidates will need to meet the minimum qualifications for a GS-0301-9/11 to be considered for the position. Some of the expectations and duties of the DFMO detailed incumbent will be:

- Providing technical and administrative supervision to assigned personnel. The DFMO provides supervision for the following fire management positions; GS-09 Supervisory Operations AFMO and GS-09 Fuels AFMO.
- Ensures preparedness of wildland fire suppression equipment and personnel.
- Identifies wildland fire training needs for unit personnel and submits training nominations to the Forest training officer.
- Assists with temporary hiring and ensures that temporary vacancies are filled for the district.
- Performs as a duty officer for the district.
- Serves as Acting District Ranger in District Rangers absence.
- Provides oversight during initial and extended attack fires, directs fire line activities and tactics of dispersed firefighters, resources, equipment, and aircraft.
- Performs fleet and facility related work for the fire management program at the Ranger District.
- Assists in fuels management planning and provides oversight of project initiation, analysis and implementation.

Fire Program Management requirements

This position has been identified as a HIGH complexity DFMO, under the Forest Service Fire Program Management (FS-FPM). The position is subject to selective placement factor requirements contained in the FS-FPM Standard and Guide when filling this vacancy. FS-FPM selective placement factors are made up of a primary and secondary National Wildfire Coordinating Group (NWCG) core Incident Management Qualifications and Required Training. The determination for meeting the HIGH complexity DFMO position has two pathways:

1. **Pathway 1** requires the individual to be qualified as a DIVS (Division/Group supervisor). Additionally, pathway 1 requires the individual be qualified as one of the following positions: an ICT3 (Incident Commander Type 3) or a RXB2 (Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2). The individual needs to have completed M-581 course, as well.
2. **Pathway 2** requires the individual to be qualified as an ASGS (Air Support Group supervisor). Additionally, pathway 2 requires the individual to be qualified as an ICT3. The individual needs to have completed M-581 course, as well.

Idaho City Ranger District

The Idaho City Ranger District is just over 400,000 acres in size, ranging from open foothills along the Payette River on the western border of the district to the beautiful Sawtooth Mountains on the eastern portion. Elevations range from 3200 to 8800 feet. The climate is generally dry with plentiful sunshine year around. Annual precipitation in Idaho City is approximately 15 inches, with most of it occurring as snowfall. Winter temperatures range from a high of 35-40 degrees F, to lows just above zero. Summer temperatures range from a high of 80's to the upper 90's, to lows in the 40's.

The district organization has approximately 35 PFT/WAE/TERM employees, and consists of 7 primary departments: Administrative Services, Engineering, Resources, Geology, Timber/Planning/NEPA, Silviculture and Fire/Fuels.

The district receives high visibility due to its close proximity to Boise, the capital city of Idaho. Several beautiful pristine rivers flow through the district offering some of the best strongholds of bull trout habitat in SW Idaho. Trails for hiking, horseback riding, mountain biking, and motorized activities are abundant and provide for numerous opportunities in the mild seasons. With relatively heavy snows, the district is a destination for many cross country skiers and snowmobilers with abundant ski and snowmobile trails both groomed and "find your own" available.

About the Community

Idaho City is a quaint, historic mountain community of approximately 400. Idaho City is the county seat of Boise County with tourism and timber as the primary industries. Idaho City is not a full service community, but does offer the following services on a year round basis: one small grocery store and many small shops along Main Street with preserved historic buildings from the mining era of the 1860's, two laundromats, two motels, several restaurants, a medical clinic, and a post office.

Boise is 40 miles from Idaho City and offers the services and amenities of the largest city in the State of Idaho. Many District employees commute from Boise daily.

Government housing is available.

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MAILING ADDRESS:

TELEPHONE NUMBER:

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TYPE OF APPOINTMENT: ☐ PERMANENT ☐ TEMPORARY ☐ TERM
 ☐ VRA ☐ PWD ☐ OTHER

CURRENT REGION/FOREST/DISTRICT: _____

CURRENT SERIES AND GRADE: _____

CURRENT POSITION TITLE: _____

PLEASE BRIEFLY DESCRIBE YOUR INTEREST IN THIS POSITION:

IF NOT A CURRENT PERMANENT (CAREER OR CAREER CONDITIONAL)
EMPLOYEE, ARE YOU ELIGIBLE TO BE HIRED UNDER ANY OF THE FOLLOWING
SPECIAL AUTHORITIES:

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- ☐ FORMER PEACE CORPS VOLUNTEER
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- ☐ OTHER _____

**PLEASE ALSO FORWARD A RESUME OUTLINING YOUR EXPERIENCE AND
PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS. ADDITIONALLY PROVIDE AN IQCS MASTER
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Cascade Ranger District Cascade, Idaho

The Cascade Ranger District is the northernmost District on the Boise National Forest. Encompassing over 400,000 acres, the District offers a diverse resource management program including recreation, wildlife, fisheries, forest and range management, and watershed management.

The small town of Cascade is nestled in the mountains of central Idaho approximately 75 miles north of Boise on Highway 55. It is located in Long Valley between the North Fork of the Payette River (known for its world-class kayaking) and Cascade Lake (one of the top fisheries in Idaho). The Cascade Ranger District offers abundant and diverse year-round outdoor sports and recreation opportunities.

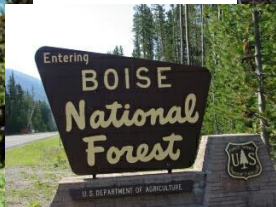
WEBSITES TO LEARN ABOUT THE CASCADE AREA:

Cascade Chamber of Commerce: <http://www.cascadechamber.com/>

Cascade Idaho Realty: <http://www.cascadelakerealty.com/>

Community Profile: <http://www.city-data.com/city/Cascade-Idaho.html>

Weather: <http://www.wunderground.com/US/ID/Cascade.html>



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If you have already responded to the Cascade outreach you need not respond again.

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